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CENTRAL FAX CENTER

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In re the application of ) Examiner: Uyen T. Ho  
 Sirhan et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3731

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR )  
 THE TREATMENT OF )  
 VULNERABLE TISSUE SITE )

Serial No.: 10/621,126 )

Filed: July 16, 2003 )

Atty. Docket No.: AVANP-00101 )

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION UNDER  
37 CFR §1.114

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This is a request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a.  Previously submitted
  - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ (any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
  - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - iii.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_.
- b.  Enclosed
  - i.  Amendment/Reply
  - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
  - iv.  Other: Terminal Disclaimer

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2. **Filing Fees**

Description	Fee Code	Claims	Extra	Rate	Fee
RCE Fee	1801				\$810.
Independent Claims	1201	1 - 6 =	0 x	\$210.=	-0-
Total Claims	1202	11 - 94=	0 x	\$50.=	-0-

Total Filing Fees Due.....\$810.

3. **Payment of Fees**

/  / The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fees due, the deficiency of fees, and /or credit any overpayment of fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-4358, referencing Atty. Docket No. AVANP-00101.

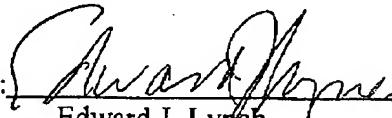
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6. **Other documents enclosed herewith:**

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